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NAMIBIA --

DESPITE MAURITIAN FOREIGN MINISTER'S BRIEF EFFORT SEPT. 21
TO INITIATE SECURITY COUNCIL DEBATE ON NAMIBIA SEPT. 22,
SC PRESIDENT (LIBYA) HELD FIRM AND MEETING IS NOT EXPECTED
BEFORE SEPT. 27 (DATE LIBYANS DISCUSSED WITH FRENCH)
OR 28 (DATE SECRETARY GENERAL MENTIONED TO AMB BENNETT).
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APPLICATION OF ARTICLE 19 --

WHEN THE NAMES OF STATES WERE CALLED IN PLENARY FOR BALLOTTING
FOR THE GA PRESIDENT, THOSE OF THE ENTIRE MEMBERSHIP WERE
READ EXCEPT FOR CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC AND CONGO,
WHO ARE IN ARREARS SUFFICIENT TO BRING THEM WITHIN THE
TERMS OF ART. 19. NEITHER STATE MADE ANY ATTEMPT TO VOTE,
AND SECRETARIAT INFORMS US THEY WILL CONTINUE TO APPLY
ART. 19 TO THOSE STATES UNTIL PAYMENT IS MADE.
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CYPRUS --

SECRETARY GENERAL WALDHEIM'S CONSULTATIONS ON CYPRUS
WITH PAPADOPOULOS AND ONAN CONCLUDED IN JOINT MEETING SEPT. 21,
AND BOTH SIDES AGREED TO CONTINUE CONSULTATIONS UNDER SYG'S
SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE PEREZ DE CUELLAR IN NICOSIA. UNDER
SECRETARY GENERAL URQUHART THOUGHT THAT ON BALANCE THE
NEW YORK TALKS PROVED TO BE GOOD IDEA;
WALDHEIM HAD HAD OPPORTUNITY TO MEET BOTH NEGOTIATORS,
BOTH OF WHOM WERE IMPRESSED THERE WERE OTHER PROBLEMS IN
THE WORLD, AND BOTH ACTED IN FRIENDLY MANNER TOWARD EACH
OTHER. ACCORDING TO URQUHART, PAPADOPOULOS SAID IN
ASIDE TO ONAN IT WAS TOO BAD THEY COULD'NT MEET INFORMALLY
WHEN THEY RETURN TO NICOSIA. URQUHART PERSONALLY DOUBTED
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THERE COULD BE ANY REAL PROGRESS UNTIL AFTER GA DEBATE,
WHICH WILL PROBABLY TAKE PLACE IN LATE NOVEMBER.
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INDIAN OCEAN PEACE ZONE (IOPZ) --

THE DRAFT RESOLUTION APPROVED SEPT. 17 BY THE IOPZ
COMMITTEE IS MODEST, ESSENTIALLY PROCEDURAL, AVOIDS ANY

MENTION OF DIEGO GARCIA, AND IS NOTABLE FOR ITS RESTRAINED LANGUAGE CALLING FOR CONSULTATIONS ON A PROGRAM OF ACTION LEADING UP TO CONVENING A CONFERENCE OF INDIAN OCEAN STATES. ACCORDING TO AUSTRALIANS, LOW-KEYED RESULTS REFLECT VIEWS OF MORE CONSERVATIVE MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE, INCLUDING AUSTRALIA, IRAN AND INDIA, WHICH OPPOSED "PRECIPITATE ACTION." (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 3857)

BANGLADESH COMPLAINT AT UN ON FARAKKA BARRAGE --

INDIAN PERMREP JAIPAL TRACED FOR GOV SCRANTON THE HISTORY OF THE FARAKKA BARRAGE DISPUTE WITH BANGLADESH, AND REITERATED INDIA'S BASIC GOODWILL TOWARDS BANGLADESH. HE FELT BANGLADESH WAS ACTING EMOTIONALLY AND ATTEMPTING TO POLITICIZE THE ISSUE. INDIA CONSIDERS THE PROBLEM ONE WHICH CAN BE TACKLED ON A COMMON-SENSE, HUMANITARIAN BASIS, IS NOT CERTAIN EXACTLY WHAT BANGLADESH EXPECTS TO ACCOMPLISH BY TAKING THE ISSUE TO THE UN, AND IS INCLINED TO VIEW IT AS PROPAGANDA FOR HOME CONSUMPTION. INDIA'S POSITION IS THAT THE GA HAS NO LEGAL GROUNDS TO EXAMINE THE QUESTION; THEREFORE, IT HAS NO PREFERENCE AS TO WHICH GA COMMITTEE SHOULD HANDLE THE AFFAIR, BUT COMMITTEE 2 WOULD SEEM MOST LOGICAL, JAIPAL REMARKED. (CONFIDENTIAL -- USUN 3850)

SURINAM'S CONCERN ABOUT GUYANA --

SURINAM PERMREP HEIDWEILLER EXPRESSED CONCERN ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS IN GUYANA AND TOLD GOV SCRANTON SURINAM IS SEEKING CLOSER RELATIONS WITH BRAZIL AND VENEZUELA. ACCORDING TO SURINAM DEPUTY PERMREP HALFHUID, HEIDWEILLER BELIEVES GOS IS WORRIED ABOUT EXTREMISM IN GUYANA AND GUYANESE ACTION AT COLOMBO NONALIGNED MEETING.

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MEETING WITH TOGOLESE AMB KODJOVI --

NEWLY-ARRIVED TOGOLESE PERMREP KODJOVI AGREED WITH GOV SCRANTON CONCERNING VITAL IMPORTANCE OF SECRETARY KISSINGER'S MISSION IN SOUTHERN AFRICA, AND HE CALLED FOR GREATER ROLE FOR HUMANISM, MORAL FORCE AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN DEALINGS AMONG COUNTRIES OF THE WORLD. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- USUN 3861)

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